

General Assembly

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Offered by:

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(As Amended by Senate Amendment Schedule "A")

"AN ACT CONCERNING A STUDY OF THE HOSPITAL DISCHARGE PROCESS."

Strike out everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following in lieu thereof:

3 "The Office of Health Care Access, to the extent possible within

4 available appropriations, shall conduct a limited study of the discharge

5 process of hospitals in the state. The office shall collaborate with the

6 Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services in the review of

7 the discharge plans of persons with psychiatric disabilities and

8 homeless persons. The Commissioner of Health Care Access and the

9 Commissioner of Mental Health and Addiction Services shall submit a

10 joint report of their findings and recommendations to the joint

11 standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of

12 matters relating to public health not later than February 1, 2002, in

13 accordance with section 11-4a of the general statutes."